

## WOMEN RUNNING IT.

The Main Features of the Moundsville Assembly in Their Hands.

## BUT TWO ABLE ADDRESSES BY MEN

Round Out a Varied and Attractive Programme on the Seventh Day—The Quartette as Popular as Ever—A Reformed Bad Man.

The seventh day of the prohibition meetings at the Assembly hall, at Moundsville, opened with the weather clear, cool and bright. In the forenoon the Woman's Christian Temperance Union headed the programme, and Mrs. Jennie Sisson, Miss Jennie McClurkin and Miss Lydia J. Newcomb gave some pleasing and appropriate talks, which were followed by exercises in physical culture, under the direction of Miss Newcomb. These exercises are in high favor with the cottagers on the camp ground, and many of them go through the exercises with an earnestness and exertion that brings a ruddy color to the cheeks. It was amusing the other day to see Colonel Bain, Dr. Cushing and Rev. Mr. Lynch going through these exercises. They bobbed their heads, struck out with their fists and skipped around in good style, only Mr. Lynch always had his head going the wrong way and Colonel Bain almost fell several times when trying to strike the floor with his hands without bending his legs. He was just a little too stiff at first, but he had perseverance and got there finally with considerable grace.

Yesterday morning Miss Newcomb used the Indian clubs, and the strength and grace of movement exhibited were greatly admired. By request she will repeat the exercise with the clubs this morning.

When Miss Newcomb's time was up, E. C. Dinwiddie, of Ohio, was again introduced. Mr. Dinwiddie's subject was "The Relation of Prohibition to Labor and the Business Interests of the Country." He spoke from notes, and followed them closely, and is a careful, precise speaker. One was hardly conscious that he used his notes at all.

THE PEOPLE NEVER TIRE  
Of the Silver Lake Quartette, and they sing most in the morning. The quartette opened the afternoon meeting by singing "The Temperance Cause is Rolling On," and after prayer by Rev. Mr. Meade, sang "We Conquer or Die." Mr. M. V. Bennett, of Kansas, was on the programme for the afternoon, but when the hour to commence arrived he had not put in an appearance, and Rev. Anna Shaw, of Illinois, who was to speak in the evening, was substituted. Mr. Bennett came in when Miss Shaw had spoken about a half hour, and when she concluded, was introduced and made a short address.

Miss Shaw is said to be the only regularly ordained woman minister in the country. She has a pleasant face, is of stout figure, and fully filled her recommendation as an able speaker.

A GOOD POINT.  
She said she would rather attend a political meeting than to go anywhere else, except to a good old-fashioned Methodist meeting. She had listened to speeches from both Republican and Democratic speakers frequently, and they all came under four heads—salt, pig-iron, lumber and wool. They never suggested the ideas or possibility of boys or girls. Now, what we women desire is that they be protected by the law. But it is natural that men's thoughts should run in that direction. By nature men are the providers; what he does is to provide the material for sustaining life. But there is still work to be done in government which is not provided for in man. There comes into the home and government another factor—the female factor. It requires the two in every home to make a home. A man can build a house, and fit it up with furniture and fill it with provisions, but he can't make it a home. It takes a woman to make a home. You can't have a government without women any more than you can have a home without her.

We believe in men, and believe they have done the best they could. Wherein lies the trouble? Is it in the form of government, or is it in the fault of those who have it in hands. We believe this is the best government. But it is the best only when the majority is right. Why then have we not the best government? The trouble is that the people have conceived an idea that it is masculine in its nature. Government has as much to do with women as men. They are subject just the same to its laws as the men. The whole difficulty with every republic of the past—and with this—is that their principles said one thing and the people acted another. This government is as a government of taxation without representation. It is not a country where the voice of the people is the voice of God, as is popularly said. It is a long time since God's voice has been heard in this land. Women possess qualities which are needed in the government, and which men do not possess.

Women are more moral than men. Women are more temperate than men. Yet you put the ballot in the hands of the brewer and the saloonkeeper and have breweries and saloons, and keep it from the women. That may be good statesmanship, but it is not good common sense.

In the evening M. V. Bennett spoke to about 1,000 persons. He gave a general prohibition talk. Mr. Bennett is rather a small, slender man, a rapid talker, and full of earnestness. He said he was formerly a whiskey drinker, an infidel, a Sabbath-breaker, a card player, a liar and a democrat.

"Queen Esther" to be Rendered.  
The popular cantata of "Queen Esther" will be given for the purpose of raising funds toward paying for the Young People's Temple, to be erected on the Moundsville Assembly grounds,

and now under contract. The performance will be given in Assembly Hall July 16, 17 and 18. Mrs. Flora Williams and Prof. J. W. Schofield and Mr. Will Day, of this city, will take part, as well as the best talent of Moundsville and the camp ground. Prof. Schofield will have charge, and will commence rehearsing to-night. A chorus of seventy-five voices will take part. The Assembly Hall is the finest place in the country for a performance of this kind. A train will leave for Wheeling after each performance.

## STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Annual Meeting Closes After a Profitable Session.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligence.

BUCKHANNON, W. VA., July 9.—The State Teachers' Association closed its session to-day at noon. State Superintendent Morgan was present and presided over the meetings. The session has been a very interesting one, and the papers and discussions were of a high order and reflect great credit on the educators of the State. The following was the programme: "How to Improve Our Country Schools," by Prof. U. S. Fleming, of Buckhannon; "The Teacher's Reading," by Prof. C. C. Woolery, of Bethany College; "What to Teach and How to Teach," by R. A. Armstrong, of West Liberty; "What Can the Public Schools Do to Encourage the Reading of Proper Literature," by W. M. Straus, of Parkersburg; Miss Beulah Boyd, of Fairmont, and Prof. T. C. Miller, of Fairmont.

This evening's session was spent in discussing the relation of the University to the school system. The discussion was opened by Dr. E. M. Turner, President of the University. Superintendent Morgan was re-elected President of the Association; Recording Secretary, A. J. Wilkinson, of Grafton; Corresponding Secretary, U. S. Fleming, of Buckhannon; Treasurer, T. C. Miller, of Fairmont. The next place of meeting is Grafton.

## NEAL NOT IN IT.

Campbell Captures Three of His Counties and He May Withdraw.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligence.

COLUMBUS, O., July 9.—A rumor is current here to-night in political circles that Larry Neal will not have his name presented at the Democratic convention at Cleveland as gubernatorial candidate, and such an action is highly probable, from the way Neal's counties are leaving him for the present incumbent. This afternoon returns were received from Montgomery county, one of Neal's strongholds, announcing that it had gone solid for Campbell delegates by 1,200 majority. Two other Neal counties, Claymont and Brown, have gone solid against him. This will put a complexion upon the convention most favorable to Governor Campbell and his nomination is not to be questioned.

## GAS STRUCK AT KENOVA.

Possibility that it is in Paying Quantities. What Capt. Allen Says.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligence.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., July 9.—Capt. A. Allen, who has had forty years experience in the natural gas business, says of the Kenova natural gas strike: "I saw the gentleman who bored the well and he informed me that at a depth of six hundred and forty feet they found gas of about fifty pounds pressure." The Captain has but little confidence in its durability. He thinks it is only swamp or pocket gas, as it is odorless. However, he says such gas has been found in staying quantities in Indiana.

The Buckhannon Development Company. Special Dispatch to the Intelligence.

BUCKHANNON, W. VA., July 9.—The Buckhannon Land Trust Association held a meeting at its office to-day. First Vice President P. H. Trout, of Staunton, Va., Gen. John E. Roller, of Harrisonburg, Va., Charles Curry, of Staunton, Va., Judge John Brannon, of Weston, General Manager W. W. Roller and all of the resident members of the association were present. A lively interest was manifested in the meeting and the association is moving along nicely.

## Shot By the Contractor.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligence.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., July 9.—William Johnson (colored) was shot on a Chesapeake & Ohio train a short distance below the city this morning by Contractor Miller, who was taking Johnson and others east to work on a short line railroad. Johnson's wounds, though serious, are not necessarily fatal. Miller is under arrest in response to a telegram sent from here.

## The K. & M. Investigation.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligence.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., July 9.—On Saturday the grand jury will go down and visit the scene of last Saturday's terrible wreck on the Kanawha & Michigan. A large number of witnesses have been summoned to appear before the grand jury and the investigation will be a most vigorous one.

## State Board of Health.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligence.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., July 9.—The State Board of Health adjourned about noon to-day, and all non-resident members have departed for their homes. Nothing of general importance was done this morning.

## The Northwestern Saengerbund.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 9.—The first of the series of concerts arranged for the festival of the Northwestern Saengerbund, in which other than the local organizations appeared before the public was given this afternoon. Mrs. Marie Litter-Goeze, who charmed the audience of the Northwestern Saengerbund at Newark last week, made her debut and earned her first laurels in the west.

## The Bering Sea Matters.

WASHINGTON, D. C. July 9.—In order that the government of the United States may be fully prepared with all necessary technical information, respecting the actual state of the Bering sea seal fisheries and the effect of the depredations of sealers in the probable event of early arbitration of the United States' rights in those waters, the President has decided to send two agents to gather the necessary information.

## A Baptist Lunched.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 9.—At 1:25 o'clock this morning Jim Bailey, the negro who criminally assaulted Mrs. Folson, a respectable lady, of Beebe Thursday night, was taken from jail by an infuriated mob and hanged to a railroad crossing. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of death at the hand of unknown parties.

## TRAFFIC ON THE OHIO.

Some Reliable Information Which Shows Its Vast Importance.

## THE IMMENSE FREIGHT TONNAGE

And Its Character—Point Pleasant as a Coal Shipping Point—Improvements of the Rivers and What They Have Cost So Far.

The government has just issued as a bulletin the article on "Transportation on the Ohio River and its Tributaries Above Cincinnati" prepared by Henry C. Adams for the census reports. A part of the information it contains has already been printed in the telegraph columns of the INTELLIGENCER, but there is a good deal of local interest. It is stated that the Monongahela, Allegheny, Muskingum, Little Kanawha, Great Kanawha and Big Sandy, during the year 1889, which was exceptionally favorable for traffic on these waters, were navigable for twelve months, with the exception of the Muskingum, Big Sandy and Allegheny, which were only navigable for about six months of the year.

The improvements on the Ohio river have been carried on by appropriations from the federal government. The most important of these are the Davis Island dam, by which slack water is forced back to Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and the Louisville and Portland canal, around the falls at Louisville. The total appropriations for all improvements on the Ohio river were \$6,050,470, which shows on expenditure of \$5,229 per mile of navigable route. It should be noted that these appropriations are applied to improvements both above and below Cincinnati, although the freight statistics of this bulletin are given exclusively for that portion of the Ohio river above Cincinnati.

## THE MONONGAHELA.

Improvements on the Monongahela river began in 1840. Up to that time the federal government had not made any appropriations for this purpose, and works were undertaken by a corporation, which is still in existence. This corporation owns at the present time a series of seven locks and dams, which carry slack water from Pittsburgh to Geneva, Pennsylvania, a distance of 85 miles. In 1872 the federal government undertook the improvement of the river above Geneva and carried navigation to Morgantown, West Virginia, a distance of 17 miles. The total cost of improvements on the Monongahela river was \$2,283,836, of which \$977,552 were expended by the United States government and \$1,306,284 by the corporation. The four lower dams belonging to the corporation are provided with locks measuring 220 by 56 feet, and it is from the pools formed by these dams that the bulk of the coal moved down the Ohio river is shipped.

## THE TWO KANAWHAS.

The Great Kanawha river, which reaches the Ohio at Point Pleasant, 203 miles above Cincinnati, is the principal competitor of the Monongahela for the coal trade on the lower Ohio. The federal government made its first appropriation for the improvement of this river in 1873, since which time it has expended \$1,976,203 and completed five locks and dams, measuring 300 by 50 feet.

The Little Kanawha river, which has a total length of about 150 miles, has been improved for steam navigation up to Burning Springs, forty miles from its junction with the Ohio. The improvements consist of a series of four locks and dams, the property of the corporation, which carry slack-water navigation to the point above named. The general government has undertaken improvements above Burning Springs, which will extend navigation twelve miles farther up the river.

The Big Sandy river is, strictly speaking, but twenty-six miles in length, extending from Catlettsburg, on the Ohio, to Louisa, Ky., but taken in connection with its principal tributary, the Levisa, it provides 110 miles adapted for the navigation of steamboats of light draught during six months of the year. The Big Sandy river and its tributaries are mostly used for rafting timber, but push boats, long, narrow boats of ten or fifteen tons capacity, are extensively employed. The expenditures for the improvement of this river, all of which were made by the federal government, were \$242,208, equivalent to \$2,203 per mile of navigable route.

## TRAFFIC ON THE OHIO.

The Ohio river above Cincinnati is credited with 713 boats, of which 46 were passenger steamers, 37 ferry boats, 93 towing steamers, 17 tugs, 9 miscellaneous and 511 barges.

On the Ohio river, out of a total of 5,528,857 tons moved, 4,338,421 tons were due to shipments of coal, 65,550 tons to shipments of salt, 176,877 tons to shipments of clay, sand and stone, 613,493 tons to shipments of forest products, the remainder being shipments of unclassified freight.

On the Monongahela river, for which a total shipment of 3,294,932 tons is reported, the shipments of coal and coke amount to 3,050,418 tons, of sand and stone to 98,357 tons, of iron ores to 35,563 tons, of forest products to 81,209 tons, the remainder being unclassified freight.

On the Allegheny river there were moved 275,681 tons of forest products, 80,750 tons of sand and stone, and 9,515 tons of unclassified freight.

The movement of freight on the Muskingum river during the year covered by the investigation was very slight, amounting to 10,041 tons of general freight.

On the Great Kanawha river, out of a total of 1,145,202 tons of freight moved, shipments of coal amount to \$1,076,871, and shipments of forest products to 43,313 tons, the remainder being unclassified freight.

The freight movements on the Little Kanawha river were 99,561 tons of forest products, 2,200 tons of coal, 2,160 tons of sand, and 8,681 tons of unclassified freight.

Of the 286,483 tons of freight moved on the Big Sandy river 274,320 tons were forest products, the remainder being unclassified freight.

The following gives the destination of COAL SHIPPED FROM POINT PLEASANT.

The Bulletin gives a very good idea of

the Ohio River as a means of freight traffic.

## NOTES ON NAVIGATION.

Stage of Water and Movements of Boats. The River Interests.

The reports from above were: Morgantown—14 feet and falling. Weather clear and cool.

Warren—10 inches and falling. Weather fair and cool.

Brownsville—20 feet 1 inch and falling. Weather clear and cool.

The steamer Courier took a lot of hoops, staves and headings at Bellaire yesterday for Sardis. They come from the northwest.

The steamer Scotia, with an excursion aboard, was badly damaged late Wednesday night by running into the Ohio River railroad bridge at Parkersburg. Her stacks were crushed and the hurricane roof stove in. She was patched up and went on down. No one was injured.

The Little Kanawha is on a tear. Logs, ties and fencing are coming out, and navigation is suspended.

## LOST IN A SEWER.

A New Yorker Jumps Down a Manhole During a Storm.

New York, July 9.—Rain fell in torrents about 8:30 o'clock last evening, and the few pedestrians who were afoot on Third avenue, near Twenty-sixth street, sought more substantial shelter than their umbrellas afforded, and went under the cover of the dark hallways.

Twice it was noticed that a short, stout man walked out into the street and stooped over a manhole. Every movement could be distinguished plainly by the electric light on the corner. Each time the man arose, after bending over the manhole a moment, and marched back to the stormy street which protects the side entrance to Sweeney's Hotel, on the southeast corner.

The men chatting in the dead shadows of the tenement house hallways commented upon the occurrences, but that was all. Then Mrs. Mary Kearns came out in the storm and hurried along toward the corner grocery. When she was near the place she saw the man approach the manhole the third time. He stooped down and got a grip on the heavy iron cover, and after one or two efforts managed to raise it. Then, straightening up, he glanced quickly about him, threw his hands above his head, shouted "Here goes," in a loud voice, and dived head first down the manhole into the sewer.

Mrs. Kearns screamed and the men in the doorways ran into the street. Some one found a policeman, who ran to an adjacent fire engine house. Capt. Nugent and his men were just returning from the sixth avenue stable fire. The captain grabbed a thirty-five-foot rope ladder and Fireman Pearl seized a life line and belt, and the two started for Twenty-sixth street with the officer. When they reached the spot a crowd had collected, notwithstanding the storm. The manhole was surrounded by people who were trying to peer into it. The water could be heard rippling along fifteen or twenty feet below. There is another manhole about 200 feet east of this one, and a crowd had also gathered around it. A number of those in the crowd declared that they had distinctly heard the groans of a man.

Captain Nugent decided to begin the search from this point. He fastened one end of the rope ladder to a wagon and Fireman Pearl started down into the sewer carrying a lantern and a life belt, while Nugent stood guard over the manhole above. The moment Pearl reached the bottom he found a hat. It belonged to one of the excited spectators who had lost it while trying to look into the dark hole. The water was about twelve inches deep and the current was slow. Pearl worked his way westward toward the manhole down which the man had jumped. Directly beneath it he found another hat. The atmosphere in the sewer was stifling and Pearl was forced to come out for air, and that ended the search for the night.

## GEBHARDT A PURCHASER.

He Attends a Horse Sale in New York and Invests \$2,400.

New York, July 9.—A great sale of yearlings from the McGrathians, Spendthrift, Beaumont and Meadowthorpe studs occurred at Tattersall's last night, which was well attended by noted turfmen and horse fanciers. Sixty-six head were sold, and the total sum realized was \$65,800, an average of \$97 per head. The highest prices obtained were \$7,100, paid by Windham Walden for a filly by Onondaga, out of Black Maria, and \$3,900, paid by B. Thayer, for a chestnut colt by Onondaga, out of Perhaps. Others that brought good prices were: Chestnut colt by Onondaga-Bliss, M. F. Dwyer, \$2,000; bay filly, by Imp-Ilusad-La Juive, Fred Gebhardt, \$2,400; bay colt by Spendthrift-Sinaloa, B. Thayer, \$2,000.

## Attention, Free Traders.

PITTSBURGH, July 9.—In addition to the big tin plate mill just completed by the United States Iron and Tin Plate Company, at McKeesport, it was learned last night that another big tin plate department has been contracted for by the same firm. It will be ready for operation by next year. The firm will then, with the two mills, have an enormous output of tin plate.

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